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Federal Opportunities

Carol M. White Physical Education Program. *The Department of Education* announces funds to initiate, expand and improve physical education programs, including after-school programs, for students in kindergarten through 12th grade in order to make progress toward meeting State standards for physical education. Eligible applicants include local educational agencies and nonprofit organizations. The deadline is June 7, 2002. Approximately 165 awards will be made ranging from \$100,000 to \$500,000 each. For more information, contact Ethel Jackson at (202) 260-2812 or ethel.jackson@ed.gov. Also see <http://www.ed.gov/offices/OESE/SDFS/>. This grant program is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under Executive Order 12372.

Safe Schools/Health Students. *The Department of Justice, The Department of Education and the Department of Health and Human Services* announce funds for the implementation and enhancement of comprehensive community-wide strategies for creating safe and drug-free schools and promoting healthy childhood development. Only Local Educational Agencies or consortia thereof are eligible. The deadline is June 21, 2002. Approximately 40 awards will be made for up to \$3 million each for urban areas. Contact Kellie Dressler Tetric at (202) 514-4817 or dresslek@ojp.usdoj.gov. Also see <http://ojdp.ncjrs.org/grants/current.html>. This grant program is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under Executive Order 12372.

Community Police Discretionary Grants for School Resource Officers. *The Department of Justice* announces funds to assist law enforcement agencies in hiring new, additional School Resource

Officers to engage in community policing in and around primary and secondary schools. Only law enforcement agencies are eligible. The deadline is May 14, 2002. The grant provides a maximum federal contribution of up to \$125,000 per officer position over the three-year grant period. For further information, contact 1-800-421-6770. Also see <http://www.cops.usdoj.gov>. This grant program is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under Executive Order 12372.

National Cancer Prevention and Control Program. *The Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control* announces funds for developing, implementing, maintaining, enhancing, integrating and evaluating a cancer program inclusive of cancer surveillance, prevention and early detection programs, and which focuses on eliminating health disparities. Only State Health Departments are eligible. The deadline is June 20, 2002. Approximately \$178 million is available total to fund approximately 75 awards. For more information, contact Annie Camacho at (770) 488-2735 or atc4@cdc.gov. Also see <http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/02060.htm>. This grant program is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under Executive Order 12372.

Mental Health Services for Older Adults. *The Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Administration* announces funds for increasing service capacity for older persons with priority mental health needs. Eligible applicants include government agencies and nonprofit direct service providers. The deadline is June 19, 2002. Up to 9 awards will be made for direct services, with each grant being no more than \$400,000. For further information, contact Steve

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Hudak at (301) 443-9666 or shudak@samhsa.gov. Also see <http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/grants.html>. This grant program is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under Executive Order 12372.

Grants to Improve the Quality and Availability of Residential Treatment and Its Continuing Care Component for Adolescents. *The Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Administration* announces funds to enhance and or expand residential treatment services for youth (aged 21 and under) referred for treatment of a drug or alcohol problem. Government agencies, nonprofit organizations, and community-based and faith-based organizations are eligible. The deadline is June 19, 2002. Approximately \$8 million is available to fund 16 awards. For further information, contact Steve Hudak at (301) 443-9666 or shudak@samhsa.gov. Also see <http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/grants.html>. This grant program is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under Executive Order 12372.

Title III Early Intervention Services Program. *The Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration* announces funds to increase access to high quality outpatient HIV primary care for low-income, medically underserved people in existing primary care systems. Eligible applicants include current Ryan White CARE Act Title III Planning Grantees, nonprofit entities, and faith-based and community-based organizations. The deadline is June 21, 2002. Approximately \$6 million is available total for up to 20 awards. For more information, contact (301) 443-0735. Also see <http://hab.hrsa.gov/grant.htm>. This grant program is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under Executive Order 12372.

Adoption Opportunities. *The Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families* announces funds to provide support for demonstration projects that facilitate the elimination of barriers to adoption and provide permanent loving homes for children who would benefit from adoption, particularly children with special needs. Grants are available in a number of priority areas including:

- Increasing Adoptive Placement of Minority Children
- Post-Legal Adoption Services

- Respite Care as a Service for Families Who Adopt Children with Special Needs
- Addressing Barriers to Cross-Jurisdictional Placement

States, local governments, institutions of higher education, faith-based organizations, nonprofit child welfare adoption agencies, licensed child care providers, and incorporated adoptive parent groups are eligible to apply. The deadline is May 30, 2002. The number and amount of awards vary by priority area between \$50,000 and \$300,000. For more information, contact Sally Flanzer at (202) 205-8914. <http://www.acf.dhhs.gov/programs/cb/programs/dictionary.htm>. Most portions of this program are covered under "Intergovernmental Review" under Executive Order 12372.

District Opportunities

Grants for the Arts. *The DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities* announces grant funds to support District of Columbia artists and arts and community organizations. Grants will be awarded in the following program areas: Grants-In-Aid to Organizations; City Arts Projects; Small Projects Program; Arts Education Projects; Artist Fellowship Program; East of the River Arts Initiative; Young Artists Program; and Folk & Traditional Arts Mini-Grant Program. Deadlines range from May 2 through December 5, 2002 for the first round of awards. A series of workshops are scheduled to assist all individuals and organizations in preparing their applications. Workshops are held in several different locations beginning May 2, 2002. For more information about the funding programs call (202) 724-5613 or visit <http://dcarts.dc.gov>.

Foundation Opportunities

Homeland Security Grants. *ESRI*, a provider of geographic information system (GIS) software, announces a grant program that is designed to foster and support the integration of GIS technology within government organizations. The Homeland Security: Crisis and Response Center Program provides a means of establishing a crisis center for first responders, as well as a vehicle to develop a centralized geographic database of critical infrastructure for the purpose of planning, analysis

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and decision support. Approximately 10 government agencies will receive up to \$500,000 in software and training. The deadline for the first round of awards is June 3, 2002. For more information, contact Christopher Thomas at (909) 793-2853 ext. 1-1819 or homelandgrants@esri.com. Also see http://www.esri.com/industries/localgov/grants/grant_crisis.html.

WebMethods Foundation. *The WebMethods Foundation* provides funding to organizations committed to addressing social infrastructure issues and the needs of the region's most vulnerable children and their families. Grants will focus on:

- Early childhood education and development
- After-school programs for at-risk children and youth
- Employment preparation classes
- Parent literacy/ESL programs

Grants will be given to nonprofit 501(c)3 organizations in the Greater Washington DC area for programs and new initiatives, general operating and capacity building. Letters of inquiry will be accepted online until May 3, 2002. See the online module at: <http://www.webmethods.org/subpages/grantmaking/grantmaking.html>.

Community Tree Planting Grants. *The National 4-H Council* offers grants to stimulate community tree planting and/or reforestation projects. Youth must be involved in designing and implementing the project. The deadline is May 27, 2002. Awards range from \$200 to \$1,000 each, and must be matched 1-1 by the recipient organization. For more information, contact Diana Friedman at dfriedman@fourhcouncil.edu. <http://www.fourhcouncil.edu/programs/category.asp?scatid=11&catid=1&subid=6>.

Resources & Announcements

Putting Fun Into Fundraising. *The DC Lottery and Charitable Games Control Board, Charitable Games Division* announces a free workshop to show you how to develop financially successful Monte Carlo Night Parties, Raffles and Bingo events. The workshop includes hands-on training in licensing and application procedures, as well as gaming

demonstrations. The workshop is Wednesday, May 22nd from 8:30am to 4pm at Southeastern University, 501 I Street SW, Washington, DC. Admission is free and lunch will be provided by the DC Charitable Fundraising Association, Inc. Seating is limited and no more than 2 representatives per organization may attend. To reserve your space, download the registration form from <http://opgd.dc.gov>. You are also welcome to call (202) 645-8071 to RSVP.

Business Resource Center Alert for Nonprofits. *The DC Business Resource Center* has started a new monthly newsletter that consolidates business-oriented programs, services, information, and events into a single timely, brief, and easy-to-read update. Armed with this information, you can gain greater access to the tools for successfully starting and operating a business or nonprofit in the District. The DC Office of Partnerships and Grants Development is working with the Business Resource Center to ensure that the information is relevant for nonprofit and faith-based organizations. Subscribe to the alert at http://brc.dc.gov/mailling_list/mailling_list.asp.

Volunteer Consultants. *The Executive Service Corps/DC* matches high-quality volunteer consultants with small, community-based nonprofits. ESC/DC consultants are retired executives who have gained a lifetime of experience as CEOs, senior managers, marketing experts, and technology experts who are offering their expertise to help community-based organizations, as well as government offices and educational institutions. A modest fee to cover administrative costs (beginning at \$500) is calculated based on the project's size and the agency's ability to pay. For more information, contact Richard Rowson at (202) 508-1058 or drowson@thecil.org.

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